

**THE MINUTES OF THE HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE  
ON  
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS**

**Tuesday, June 20, 2006**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Room 326 House Office Building**

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The House Standing Committee on Government Operations was called to order by **Representative Leon Drolet**, Chair.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Representatives Drolet, Hoogendyk, Gosselin, Garfield, Sheen, Emmons and Tobocman.

**MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED:** Representatives Garfield and Lemmons, III.

**Representative Hoogendyk** moved to adopt the minutes of the **June 6, 2006** meeting. The motion was supported by **Representative Gosselin**. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

**Chairman Drolet** laid **HB 5872** before the committee:

HB 5872	Moolenaar	Environmental protection; cleanups; dioxin; provide cleanup standard based upon federal guidelines.
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**TESTIMONY**

**Representative Moolenaar**, sponsor of HB 5872, explained his bill to the committee.

**Frank Ruswick**, Special Assistant to the Director, representing the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, testified in support of the substitute (H-1).

**Lynelle Marolf**, Assistant Division Chief of the Remediation and Redevelopment Division, representing the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, testified in support of the substitute (H-1).

**Representative Hoogendyk** moved to adopt the substitute (**H-1**) to **HB 5872**. The motion was supported by **Representative Gosselin**.

The motion prevailed by a vote **6-0-0**.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Drolet, Hoogendyk, Gosselin, Sheen, Emmons and Tobocman,  
Nays: None,  
Pass: None.

**James Clift**, Policy Director of the Michigan Environmental Council, testified and did not indicate a position on the bill.

**Tom Frazier**, representing the Michigan Township Association, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Lee Schwartz**, representing the Michigan Association of Home Builders, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Brian Westin**, representing the Michigan Association of Realtors, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Doug Roberts**, representing the Michigan Chamber of Commerce, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Mike Johnston**, representing the Michigan Manufacturers Association, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Len Heinzman**, representing the Tittabawassee River Voice, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Bill Eggerer**, representing Midland Matters, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Representative Sheen** moved to report **HB 5872** with recommendation, as substitute (**H-1**). The motion was supported by **Representative Gosselin**.

The motion prevailed by a vote of **7-0-0**.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Drolet, Hoogendyk, Gosselin, Sheen, Emmons, Tobocman and Lipsey,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**Representative Lipsey** moved to excuse absent members from the committee. The motion was supported by **Representative Gosselin**. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:46 a.m.

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**Representative Leon Drolet, Chair**  
**House Standing Committee on Government Operations**  
Malika Abdur-Rashid  
Committee Clerk  
517-373-7256  
16 Minutes